

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date

April 27, 2009

In re the Application of

Ghattas Youssef KOUSSAIFI

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Examiner:

E. TOLAN

Docket No.: 127885

MACHINE FOR CONTINUOUSLY MANUFACTURING A WELDED METAL TRELLIS

SMALL ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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For:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired February 26, 2009, an extension of time for a period of two months is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 217595 in the amount of \$245 in payment for:

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